

PROJECT STATUS REPORT						1. REPORTING PERIOD	
NOTE: See instructions on reverse side.						1-31 January 1955	
2. CRYPTONYM		3. DIVISION OR BRANCH		4. COUNTRY		5. APPROVAL	BY
A. PROJECT	B. SUB-PROJECT	TARGET		BASE		ORIGINAL	DATE
OBVIOUS		SE /1 Albania		[ ]		LAST RENEWAL	22 June 1945
6. NAME OF CASE OFFICER		ROOM NO.	EXTENSION	SIGNATURE OF CASE OFFICER			
[ ]		1313 J	672				
7. TYPE OF PROJECT		X PP		PM	FI		
8. PERSONNEL		PROJ. T/O POSITIONS		ASSIGNED PERSONNEL			
STAFF AGENTS				A. CURRENT PROJ. CEIL.			
CONTRACT PERSONNEL				B. CUM. ALLOTMENT			
				C. EST. CUM. OBLIGATIONS			
				[ ] [ ] [ ]			
10.							
*8. Personnel: Project OBVIOUS is handled by Headquarters and [ ] personnel. Only members of the NCFA are paid out of OBVIOUS funds and they are neither staff agents nor contract personnel.							
10.							
a. Action Reported by Field							
1. Mr. Eqrem Telhaj was elected Secretary of the National Committee for a Free Albania in the special election held in early January. This election was necessitated by the misvote of one member of the Executive Committee during the regular election of NCFA officers in November.							
2. Members of the SE Division met with Mr. Hasan Dosti, President of the NCFA, several times during January to discuss Committee activities.							
3. Mr. Dosti reported that the members of the Executive Committee of the NCFA in Rome had proposed that during the visit to Rome of the Turkish Premier and Foreign Minister the NCFA send a memo to Messrs. Menderes and Kopulu suggesting that the Turkish Government lead the way towards a statement by all of the signatories of the Balkan Pact recognizing the independence and territorial integrity of Albania. Mr. Dosti was requested to inform his colleagues that it was felt such a move would serve no useful purpose and that it might result in the issuance of a statement by one or all of the members of the Balkan Pact which would be prejudicial to the interests of Albania. A cable stating the same position was also sent direct to the Committee in Rome. As far as is known no memoranda was sent to the Turkish officials.							
4. [ ] Chief of the Albanian Section in Athens, visited Rome in early January for discussions with the members of the NCFA there.							
5. The Committee newspaper, <u>Shqipëria</u> , was published on schedule.							
b. Security Factors							
No new information.							

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ITEM NO.	CAPTION OR SUB-CAPTION	INSTRUCTIONS
1	Reporting Period	Give month and calendar year during which information in report was received at Headquarters.
2	Cryptonym	Do not show cryptonym until formal approval of its project.
7	Type of Project	Check box in accordance with budget designation in operational program.
8	Personnel	"Contract Personnel" means those persons employed by direct contract through the Special Contracting Officer having no career rights and who are not necessarily compensated in accordance with Civil Service scales, and whose duties are often short-term and not subject to control.
9	Funds for Current Fiscal Year	<p>a. <u>Current Project Ceiling</u>: The programmed figure less any subsequent reductions (sub-projects, program changes).</p> <p>b. <u>Cumulative Allotment</u>: The operational allotment as issued by the Budget Division.</p> <p>c. <u>Estimated Cumulative Obligations</u>: The Case Officer's considered estimate in round figures of the current fiscal year cost to date.</p>
10		<p>In reporting sub-items in Item 10, use letters and subheadings, as "b. <u>Pending Action</u>: . . ."</p> <p>NOTE: When actual PP or PM actions have ceased, omit all subheadings. But continue to report until after project is fully terminated at Headquarters, substituting a running account of the main aspects of termination proceedings for the usual entries in Item 10.</p> <p>Whenever space in Item 10 is insufficient to include all relevant entries, supplementary 8 x 10 1/2" sheets may be used for left-over entries.</p>
a.	Action Reported by Field	<p>If Headquarters has not received any reports of action from the field during the reporting period, make the following entry:            "a. <u>Action Reported by Field</u>: None."</p> <p>Report propaganda action by the field on Form 112a.</p> <p>In reporting PM action, or other PP action in the field:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(1) Give pseudonym or cryptonym of person, or cryptonym or true name of organization, responsible for the action.</li> <li>(2) Give location (country or smaller), and name or type of each target or target group.</li> </ol> <p>NOTE: Enter field action of periodic or routine nature as well as novel or unusual action.            Report intelligence collection by project personnel.            Whenever a reported action is undertaken as part of a coordinated international program or effort, specify that program or effort.</p>
b.	Pending Action	Non-routine pending project action may be reported here. When nothing unusual is pending, omit this subheading.
c.	Observed Results (Objective Fact)	<p>Enter friendly or hostile judgments about project assets made by specifically identified sources external to CIA.</p> <p>Enter judgments about project assets which are explicitly related to reported effects, instances or kinds of project action.</p> <p>When neither are available, omit this subheading.</p>
d.	Security Factors	<p>Enter a current assessment of operational security factors.</p> <p>Whenever unchanged from preceding report, make the entry:            "d. <u>Security Factors</u>: No New Information."</p>
e.	Assets Terminated	Report termination of a project asset here on first Project Status Report after information is received in Headquarters. When no terminations are reported by field, omit this subheading.
f.	New Assets	Give location and type of each person or organization named above (or on Form 112a) for the first time as responsible for a PP or PM action. If there are none, omit this subheading.

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**PROPAGANDA ACTION REPORTED FROM FIELD**

PROJECT CRYPTONYM <b>OBLIVIOUS</b>			SUB-PROJECT CRYPTONYM		DIVISION OR BRANCH <b>SE-1</b>		REPORTING PERIOD <b>1-31 January 1955</b>		
ITEM NO.	NAME OF ASSET (AGENT, GROUP OR ORGANIZATION) TAKING ACTION	ACTION	FORM	LANGUAGE	PERIOD & NO. OF ISSUES OR DELIVERIES	QUANTITY OR AUDIENCE	TITLE OF MEDIUM, PRINCIPAL THEMES, AND SUBJECTS	TARGET PERSONS, GROUPS, ORGANIZATION:	
								NAME &/OR TYPE	LOCATION
1	NCFA	PR, DF	Newspaper	Albanian	1m	5	<u>Shqiperia</u>	Albanian emigres.	Italy, France, U.S., U.K., Greece, Near East

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COLUMNAR HEADING	INSTRUCTIONS									
Name of Asset Taking Action	Give pseudonym or cryptonym of person, or cryptonym or true name of organization, responsible for the action. (When an asset is identified here for first time, enter supporting data in Section F on Form 112.)									
Action	<table border="0"> <tr> <td>C Composed</td><td>DS Disseminated by Sale</td><td>R Recorded</td></tr> <tr> <td>D Disseminated</td><td>PL Planted (Placed)</td><td>SP Spoke</td></tr> <tr> <td>DF Disseminated Free</td><td>PR Printed</td><td>SU Suggested</td></tr> </table>	C Composed	DS Disseminated by Sale	R Recorded	D Disseminated	PL Planted (Placed)	SP Spoke	DF Disseminated Free	PR Printed	SU Suggested
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Period & No. of Issues or Deliveries	<table border="0"> <tr> <td>d daily</td><td>q quarterly</td><td>n non-periodic</td></tr> <tr> <td>w weekly</td><td>2w twice a week</td><td></td></tr> <tr> <td>m monthly</td><td>e2w every two weeks</td><td></td></tr> </table> <p>Following period symbol, show number of issues (for printed materials) or deliveries (for oral material).</p>	d daily	q quarterly	n non-periodic	w weekly	2w twice a week		m monthly	e2w every two weeks	
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w weekly	2w twice a week									
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Quantity or Audience	<p>In the case of printed materials, express in thousands of copies per issue, as 2.6 for 2,600.</p> <p>In case of oral propaganda, give attendance or estimated audience figure for each broadcast or delivery, as 5.3 for 5,300.</p>									
Target Location	Give names of countries, or localities within countries, in which targets are located.									
Remarks)	Any important detail not called for above (e.g., use of an unusual means of dissemination) will be identified here by item.									
Form as a Whole)	When some of information called for in the form has not been reported by field, the symbol 'NR' will be entered in the corresponding column.									

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